

Sheres. Morning 18th
8:30 A.M.

Dear Vickie and Jim

I am over at Dianes under the hair dryer so will write to you. It is a rainy day but not cold. I am going to take care of Stevie this morning as Jeannie has a doctor's appointment. Her baby is due in four weeks.

We spent the week-end up at the cabin. Ruthie and Jack were up also. Our taxes on the cabin have gone up about 200 percent. Last year the taxes went up a little and it was still a very small tax fee, only 38 dollars but this time the taxes are \$160.00.

This Saturday night we are going to a dance with all our old neighbors. Every one will meet at our house. Bob Garment, your Boeing boss, Jim, will be with us also. I wonder if he still has his job. So many of our friends who had big jobs at Boeing have been laid off. Jack Goldingay just heard that he is through the end of the month.

Mary and Vickie come home

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Friday night as Sonja and Dick had a wine tasting party. They had a good time. Dick was dressed like a bohemian and played the accordion. Mary and Mike came up to the cabin Saturday and had dinner with us and then had to go back to Iglovia.

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Jeanie just left with Stevie. He likes to play with the little cars and the blocks. I have taught him to say thank you in Swedish. Jeanie said he says tack so mycket all the time at home.

When it stops raining I am going to the post office and grocery store.

Greeneater was so high and rushing the week end and very close to going over the bank on the other side.

More later.

Love,
Mom.